



EQUITY, CLIMATE AND JOBS: MODEL HIGH-ROAD TRAINING PARTNERSHIPS–RFA

The California Workforce Development Board (State Board), in coordination with the Employment Development Department (EDD) and the California Labor and Workforce Development Agency, announces the availability of up to \$6 million in Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act funds to design, develop, implement and/or advance model high-road training partnerships (H RTP). Funds will support skill-focused, industry-based demonstration projects that advance equity by linking workforce innovation to regional challenges of job quality, economic opportunity, and environmental sustainability.

The H RTP initiative aims to build, document, and evaluate a field of practice that simultaneously addresses critical questions of income mobility, economic competitiveness, and climate change through “ground up” skills strategies designed to support economically and environmentally resilient communities across the state.

Eligible applicants include, Local Workforce Development Boards, labor organizations and labor-management partnerships, education and training providers, community-based and non-profit organizations, workforce intermediaries, public authorities, and qualified businesses.

All applications are due **February 10, 2017**, by 4:00 p.m.

For more information on this funding opportunity and its requirements, please see the full Model High Road Training Partnerships Request for Applications (RFA) on the [State Board's](#) web page.

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